

Do not allow yourselves to regulate satellite radio based on the bureaucracy of the NAB... I pay for my XM service because of the many different listening choices available. I listen to terrestrial radio as well...as I am sure many other XM subscribers do, thus rendering no harm to the NAB's stable of variety and offerings. I live in Los Angeles and I have been grateful for the local traffic and weather reports, as well as the other "locally oriented" programming that helps me on my commute day in and day out. I don't understand, my news channels and local radio all provide the same traffic and weather info...some even from the Traffic Pulse company...why does the NAB want to stop more reach by its broadcasters???

I am asking you to kindly reject the NAB's petition 04-160 on the basis that it infringes on my right to make a choice in what I want to listen to, and even further to that point, who provides my service and what services they are able to provide.

Thank you for your time and considerations in regards to this matter. I hope that the FCC will stand up and not be bullied by a special interest group interested in taking away XM and its loyal customers rights.